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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled BIALLELIC MARKERS FOR USE IN CONSTRUCTING A HIGH DENSITY DISEQUILIBRIUM MAP OF THE HUMAN GENOME; the specification of which was filed as International Application No. PCT/IB98/01193, filed July 17, 1998, the U.S. National Phase of which was filed January 14, 2000 as Application Serial No. 09/463,075.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above;

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56;

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(a)-(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

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Yes

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

Prior U.S.A. Application(s)

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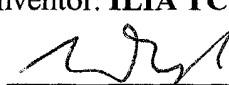
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